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C O N F I D E N T I A L MAPUTO 1130

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDEV, RH, MZ, US, UK

SUBJECT: RHODESIA PROPOSAL

REF: STATE 218697

1. I SAW PRESIDENTIAL AIDE FERNANDO HONWANA BRIEFLY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND EXPLAINED TO HIM WHY IT IS THAT WE AND BRITISH BELIEVE THAT A SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION ON RHODESIA IS NEEDED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. DEPARTMENT MAY RECALL THAT IT WAS HONWANA, ALONG WITH SERGIO VIEIRA, WHO HAD VOICED RESERVATIONS TO ME ABOUT GOING TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL SO QUICKLY.

2. HONWANA SAID HE APPRECIATED MY FURTHER EXPLANATION OF WHY WE ARE EAGER TO MOVE QUICKLY. HE ALSO SAID HE WAS PLEASED TO HAVE MY RESSURANCE THAT THE DESIGNATION OF A UN REPRESENTATIVE WOULD NOT PREJUDICE ANYONE'S POSITION ON ANY PART OF THE PROPOSAL NOR IMPLY COMMITMENT TO THE PROPOSAL. HONWANA PROMISED TO PASS MY COMMENTS TO
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3. AS I WAS LEAVING, HONWANA ASKED IF I INTENDED TO SEE ROBERT MUGABE, SAYING HE THOUGH IT WOULD BE USEFUL WERE MUGABE TO HAVE BENEFIT OF MY EXPLANATION AND ASSURANCE AS WELL. WHEN I SAID THAT I HAD ALREADY SEEN MUGABE (MAPUTO 1129) HONWANA NODDED APPROVINGLY AND OBSERVED

THAT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL WERE WE AND THE BRITISH TO
CONTINUE TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH MUGABE.
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